

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**In re the Application of: **Shigeo TANAKA et al.**Art Unit: **2838**Application Number: **10/715,390**Examiner: **Adolf D. Berhane**Filed: **November 19, 2003**Confirmation Number: **5463**For: **POWER SUPPLY CONTROL METHOD, CURRENT-TO-VOLTAGE  
CONVERSION CIRCUIT AND ELECTRONIC APPARATUS**Attorney Docket Number: **032116**  
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A Request for Continued Examination and an Information Disclosure Statement are submitted concurrently herewith.

If this paper is not considered to be timely filed, the Applicants hereby petition for an appropriate extension of the response period. Please charge the fee for such extension and any other fees that may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

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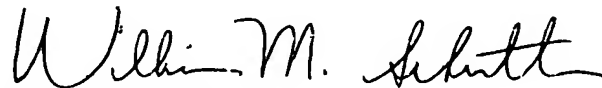
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